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In response to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences' order, dated 11/23/05, the following actions have taken place.

- 1) A substituted examiner's answer with appropriate headings will be provided.
- 2) Proper indication of an appeal conference was held is provided on page 7 of the Substitute Examiner's Answer.
- 3) This correspondence in combination with the Substitute Examiner's Answer is considered to be written notification to the appellant that an appeal conference was held.
- 2) No other actions are required at this time.

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